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Examiner: Tran, Thuy Van

For: ELEVATOR ROLLER GUIDE AND RAIL ASSEMBLY

RESPONSE

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on December 10, 2001.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-12 without prejudice.

Please add the following new claims.

13. (New) An elevator door assembly, comprising:

a rail including at least one supporting surface along at least one side of
the rail;

a resilient material track at least partially received by the supporting
surface on the rail, the resilient material having a first surface characteristic near at least